

EXHIBIT A5

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1 Mr. Rubin?

2 A Yes.

3 Q What did she say?

4 A She told me that he was a very wealthy man that wanted to
5 meet young models or dancers, and to have a relationship,
6 sexual relationship with them.

7 She told me she had been with him before. And it
8 was like a BDSM-style relationship.

9 Q What did you understand that to mean at the time a
10 "BDSM-style relationship"?

11 A To me I thought like blindfold, handcuffs, spanking.
12 Rough, playful sex.

13 Q After Ms. -- you spoke to Ms. Cay about Mr. Rubin, did
14 you talk to anyone else about Mr. Rubin?

15 A Yes.

16 Q Who is that?

17 A Stephanie Shon.

18 Q Do you know Stephanie Shon at the time?

19 A No.

20 Q So Ms. Cay was the connection between you and Ms. Shon?

21 A Yes.

22 Q What did you discuss with Ms. Shon about Mr. Rubin?

23 A She told me that he was looking to have like a
24 relationship, like a BDSM style with like models. Younger
25 girls.

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1 And she asked me if I had done anything like that
2 before. And she told me she had done it and it wasn't
3 anything scary. And she said it was fun. And that I would be
4 paid \$5,000.

5 I would have to sign an NDA before I can meet him,
6 and if were to tell anybody about what happened, I could be
7 sued.

8 Q Did Ms. Shon introduce you to anyone else also related to
9 Mr. Rubin?

10 A Yes.

11 Q Who's that?

12 A Jennifer Powers.

13 Q So did you have a text or phone call or something like
14 that with Ms. Powers?

15 A Yes, Stephanie Shon told me to download this app called
16 WhatsApp.

17 Q And did you do so?

18 A Yes.

19 Q Did you use that to communicate with Ms. Powers?

20 A Yes.

21 Q Did you have any conversation or if you want to call it
22 that, by WhatsApp with Ms. Powers?

23 A Yes.

24 Q Do you remember what you discussed?

25 A Yes. She told me she would be the one booking my flight